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8 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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11 TIMOTHY WATTS,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 S. GATES, et al.,

15 Defendants.
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No. 2:21-CV-0543-DMC-P

ORDER

17 Plaintiff, a prisoner proceeding pro se, brings this civil rights action under 42 U.S.C.
18 § 1983. Pending before the Court is Plaintiff's motion for leave to proceed in forma pauperis. ECF
19 No. 5. Plaintiff has submitted a declaration that makes the showing required by 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a).
20 Plaintiff's request to proceed in forma pauperis is, therefore, granted.

21 IT IS SO ORDERED.
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24 Dated: April 22, 2021



25 DENNIS M. COTA
26 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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